Fitted Dresses In

Anti-Sacks Vindicated

LONDON (CP) — The anti-sacks girls who clung to their fitted dresses can give out three cheers. For the defined waistline is fashionable once more and all but one of London's top designers stress it by use of wide leather belts or bows.

They all agree on skirt lengths. An inch or so longer than last season but skirts are still short—16 or 17 inches from the ground.

Hardy Amies, one of the Queen's dressmakers, is the only one to feature the high-waisted look or a variation of the Empire line.

In his collection, Amies' pastel tweed outfits won the day. Topcoats with matching suits in blue and corals are teamed with bronze accessories while Prince of Wales checks and muted greys are suggested for more practical wear. His jackets are short, often featuring one-button fastening and cut-away fronts.

For summer parties the designer introduces "greige," a mixture of beige and grey. A cotton duster coat featuring these misty tones on a white background is partnered with a matching chiffon dress, finely pleated with a swirling skirt and high bustline.

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No longer does the housewife buy an unwieldy chunk of "approximately one pound."

Cheddar cheese has a smooth texture, its color range is near white to yellow and its flavor mild to very sharp depending on how long it has aged.

Most people in this country when they say "cheese" mean cheddar.

It's named for the village of Cheddar in Somersetshire, England, where it was first made. The exact date of origin isn't known but the brand has been made since the latter part of the 16th century.

Let's consider some primary rules for cooking cheese:

Always use low heat. Like all proteins cheese is toughened by high heat.

Don't overcook. When the cheese is melted, it's cooked.

Measurement note: One half pound of bulk or package cheese makes two cups of shredded cheese.

The keeping quality of cheese varies. Natural cheddar has a high keeping quality but once cut dries out rapidly. The mold that forms on natural bulk cheese isn't harmful and may be cut off without affecting the quality.

All cheeses should be kept under refrigeration until several hours before serving—but never chilled. Cheese taste best at room temperature. Cheddar should never be frozen.

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One 7-oz. pkg. long macaroni, broken into 2-inch pieces; ¼ cup butter or margarine; ¼ cup flour; 2 cups milk; 1 teaspoon salt; 1 8-oz. pkg. sharp natural Cheddar cheese, shredded.

Cook macaroni in boiling salted water. Drain well. Make a white sauce with the butter or margarine, flour, milk and salt. Place half of the macaroni in a greased 1½-quart casserole. Cover with half of the white sauce. Sprinkle with half of the shredded cheese. Add the remaining macaroni and white sauce, and top with the remaining shredded cheese. Bake in a moderate oven, 350 degrees, for 20 minutes.

Grand Factor Due To Visit Local Post

Mrs. R. L. Foster of Vancouver, Grand Factor of the Native Daughters of British Columbia will pay an official visit to Native Daughters of British Columbia, Post No. 3 today, at 8 p.m. in the lower Orange Hall. She will be accompanied by the Grand Secretary, Miss Melba Menzies of Vancouver.

King's Daughters

Profit of $78 was realized from the King's Daughters Fellowship Circle coffee party held at the Hudson's Bay Company recently.

The next meeting of the circle will be at the home of Mrs. A. Nugent, 805 Heywood Avenue on March 12.

'Irregularities' in Ontario

Corruption Charged

ST. THOMAS, Ont. (CP)—Miss Judy LaMarsh of Niagara Falls, Ont., vice-president of the National Women's Liberal Association, says "irregularities" exist in the Ontario department of highways.

Miss LaMarsh, also secretary of the Ontario Women's Liberal Association, told the Elgin Liberal Association Tuesday night: "I know of irregularities that exist in the department of highways. I know that there are certain sums that have to be paid in connection with getting a licence."

In answer to a question after the meeting, Miss LaMarsh said she could not disclose the licences she was referring to because "that would point the finger at the official concerned." However, she said they were not car permits.

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